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Regular Meeting Town Council

The regular meeting of the town council was held one evening last week when the mayor and all the councillors were present.

Mr. Ings who was present discussed at length garbage matters stating that a householder picked up by the town with householders compelled to have proper cans is the only system that will give satisfaction. Bassano has a man contracted to pick up to garbage. He has his own small truck, picks up twice weekly in the evenings. The work takes him twelve hours a week to complete. He is paid \$10 per week. Cafes, etc., pay him \$3 a week extra. Strathmore pickup is done by the town man once a week on a specific day. He does all the work in three quarters of a day. He installs water and sewer and on request will handle a reasonable amount of extra garbage for merchants. He uses trailer and tractor. The salary is \$150 a month, plus house and utilities. In his own time acts as caretaker for the Legion Hall.

Mr. Ings read the Starthmore bylaw and left it and Calgary bylaw with the secretary for perusal. No definite action was taken by the council.

The estimates were passed. Bylaw No. 438 was given its third reading setting the mill rate for 1955 at 65 mills.

Bylaw No. 435 regulating traffic in town was given its third reading and passed.

Bylaw No. 437 was given its first reading. This bylaw authorizes the council to provide for civil defence or disaster.

It was decided that the week beginning May 15 would be cleanup week.

Tenders are to be called for the purchase of the old fire hall and also for the building situated at the old swimming pool site.

A bylaw was passed authorizing a service charge of one dollar per month, payable monthly, be charged to all properties in the town connected with the sewer system.

The court of revision will be held on June 6th.

J. Burne was given permission to erect a residence.

The application to purchase four lots by the Church of Latter Day Saints was approved but they will have to supply their own irrigation.

OBITUARY

JOHN HESKETH

John Hesketh brother of Mr. R. S. Haskayne, died early Monday morning in a Calgary hospital after a short illness at the age of 68 years. Mr. Hesketh lived in Arrowood for some fifteen years where he operated a butcher shop. He left Arrowood about ten years ago and moved to Crossfield where he continued his business as a butcher.

Mr. Hesketh was born in Ormskirk, Lancashire, England, and was a member of the Liverpool city police force before moving to Calgary in 1912. He was a detective with the Alberta Provincial Police at Calgary and Lethbridge until 1921.

He was a member of the Gleichen Masonic Lodge but transferred to the Crossfield lodge a couple of years ago. He was a member of the Church of Ascension at Crossfield.

Mr. Hesketh is survived by his wife; three daughters, Mrs. E. Richardson and Mrs. E. Wiley at Crossfield; Mrs. F. Manen, Chancellor; three sisters, Mrs. R. S. Haskayne, Gleichen; Mrs. Holden, Mannville and Mrs. Glyn, London, Eng.; three brothers: Tom, Gleichen; Harold, Three Hills and William, Grand View, Wask.

The funeral will take place at Crossfield today at 3:30 p.m. with Rev. Canon W. H. Morgan and Rev. E. A. Justice officiating.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

Many farmers who are in the habit of making a home germination test of seed grain each winter, have expressed disappointment at the results they have obtained this year. However, even

though such a test may not show up too well, that does not necessarily mean that the grain should be discarded as seed, for reasons which follow, the seed may actually give a much better performance in the field and, at worst, it may be only necessary to seed somewhat heavier than usual.

Unfortunately, much of the grain harvested last season, under poor weather conditions, was below the usual standards, so far as quality was concerned, some of it having been tough when harvested and some of it having been damaged by frost. Samples of this kind do not respond readily or fully to an ordinary germination test, mainly for the reason that at the seed, because of its condition, is likely to be in a prolonged dormant spell and it is necessary to break this spell before its full germinating capacity can be assessed.

That is why samples under official laboratory tests where prechilling at approximately 48 is carried on to simulate the optimum conditions for germination in the soil, usually show a somewhat higher percentage. In some cases, however, one chilling is not sufficient and an additional chilling is necessary to break the dormancy.

Laboratory tests have shown that treatment of seed with a mercurial disinfectant has increased germination by as much as 11 percent and this is one year, therefore, when treatment of this kind would seem to be advisable.

Fire Destroys Brooder House

Fire in a brooder destroyed the buildings, a number of chicks and burnt two men about the face. The brooder located on the farm of Frank Corbiell north east of town was discovered to be on fire about 10 o'clock Sunday. The farmers of the surrounding country and the town fire brigade with a chemical engine responded to the call for help. By the time chemicals arrived the brooder was destroyed. Donald MacArthur and Ed Backholz were burnt about the face while attempting to roll away a barrel of gas from the fire it exploded in their faces. A heavy wet snow had been falling for sometime before the fire and that helped to prevent the blaze from spreading to a pile of baled hay and nearby buildings. A large number of the chickens were saved.

Frank and Gabriel Corbiell and Mrs. B. McKeever wish to thank all those who responded to the call for help. Also the local telephone operator on duty at the time and Mrs. MacArthur for looking after the telephone calls.

Catholic W.L. Elect Officers

The annual meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held on May 4th in the parish hall of St. Victor's Church with 14 members present. The president Mrs. Leo Desjardine was in the chair.

The director, Rev. Fr. Violini opened the meeting with the League prayer. The usual business was dealt with and financial report read.

The president read an interesting paper on education of pre-school children, an excerpt from a speech by Bishop Carol. The election of officers followed. Mrs. Leo Desjardine was re-elected president; Mrs. N. Sherback, 1st vice-president; Mrs. C. Desjardine, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. E. Krause 3rd vice-president; Mrs. B. Evans, secretary-treasurer. A tasty lunch was served by Mrs. Krause and Mrs. Campbell.

Education for democratic citizenship is not a spectator sport. If we are to develop mental muscles, they must be developed through regular exercise.

Achievement Day 4H Club May 21

The Gleichen 4H Calf Club will hold an Achievement Day on Saturday May 21 in the Gleichen Curling Rink.

The Gleichen Club will entertain the Cluny Club. Last year the Cluny Club entertained the Gleichen club at their show. With in the past year the local club has increased its membership from 17 to 25. The officers of the organization are President Erwin Yule and June Hatke is the secretary-treasurer.

The members and the officers take a great deal of interest in the club and they would greatly appreciate it if the public and everyone interested would turn out to see the show. There will be no charge for admission.

HERE AND THERE

Beginning next Sunday United Church services will be held at the following hours: Sunday School at 10:45 o'clock and church services 12:10. During the summer there will be no evening service.

The sale of home cooking and afternoon tea put on by the ladies of the United Church W.A., at the Recreation Centre Saturday, proved to be a very successful affair. It was largely attended.

The road on Fourth Avenue unning north of town has been built up to look a Trans-Canada road. No more will there be bottomless mud holes and snow drifts to make life miserable for the motorists. All that remains now to be done is a heavy coat of gravel.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Sherack, Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Turnbull and Mrs. Lloyd attended the meeting of the teachers of this district in Calgary last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Barrett and children and Mr. and Mrs. E. Woods of Calgary spent Mother's Day in town visiting relatives.

Among the Calgary people who spent the week end in town were Mr. and Mrs. T. Boos and daughter, Donald Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brown.

Mayor Colpoys and H. Bogstie went to Edmonton Monday where they saw the minister of education regarding the building of a high school here.

The Ottawa Letter

Since Confederation in 1867 the history of Canadian political parties falls into three periods; a MacDonald Period, a Laurier Period and a King Period. This serves to demonstrate the immense importance of leadership in the success of any party.

The Conservative party held power in Canada from Confederation until 1896 with the exception of one period of depression from 1873-78. Their great leader, Sir John A. MacDonald won six elections for them. Under his leadership the bounds of Canada

were extended from ocean to ocean. Another great accomplishment was the construction of the C.P.R. across an empty and unsurveyed continent. These measures united a small community of four million in the east with a smaller community of a few thousand on the Pacific. In the depression of the 1870's the policy of tariff protection was adopted to rescue the Canadian economy from the pressure of outside manufactured goods. This policy was a stroke of genius at the time and was called the "National Policy."

As time went on the opposition parties stressed the fear that these policies were dangerous because of the creating of a new privileged class of protected manufacturers and a railway monopoly in the west. This attack made it appear that the liberals were not as keen to build up a great Canadian nation as the Conservatives were and Sir John won at least one election by the slogan "A British subject I was born, a British subject I shall die."

Laurier won the 1896 election in spite of the fact that he was op

posing his church on the Manitoba school question. He took over the national policy with some modification. He established a tariff preference for British goods in Canada over goods coming from the USA and this preference is still in force. Many railways were built in his time. There were 2,500,000 immigrants admitted in ten years and their was real prosperity. It was commonly said the country was going ahead "by leaps and bounds."

M. King retained the Prime-Ministership longer than any political leader in any British country since the beginning of the 18th century. He had difficulties at first but in the last elections he had large majorities from every province except Alberta. Canada made great strides while he was in power and perhaps his greatest accomplishment was in keeping the two diverse races united in order to make a maximum war effort when Canada's help was desperately needed by the British Empire.

Small groups of members from the C.C.F. and Social Credit parties have been elected but Canada

has been governed by one or other of the great national parties since Confederation.

F. W. GERSHAW.

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Perennial grasses should be sown early for good seed

If a good seed crops is expected in the year following seeding, perennial grasses should be shown early. In agreement with previous trends, advantages of early seeding were again indicated in a preliminary trial conducted last year at the Beaverlodge Experimental Station.

In 1953, C. R. Elliott, agronomist in charge of forage crops, sowed creeping red fescue and brome in rows. The grasses were sown at seven different dates in June and July and their yields in the following year compared. Yields from those sown in July were substantially less than from the June sowings.

June higher

June 4, 10, 18 and 24 and July 8, 16 and 23 were the seeding

Properly timed poultry production said important

REGINA.—Frank Payne, Saskatchewan Poultry Commissioner, has released figures indicating an optimistic future for poultry raisers.

"Available data indicates that both egg producers and poultry meat producers are more conservative this year than last in formulating their production programs," he said.

Figures compiled by the department show the monthly chick-hatch since last October, has been consistently below that of a year ago. In the first quarter of the current year there were 12 percent fewer chicks hatched than last year. There were 11 percent fewer turkey eggs in incubators at the end of March this year than on a like date in 1954.

"Canadian storage stocks of poultry meats are at a fairly low level," said the commissioner, and American forecasts are for a slightly lower level of production for 1955. Taking these and other factors into consideration a condition of cautious optimism prevails in the industry.

"A poultry product produced by a properly timed program, good feeding and sound management practices will pay a reasonable return on investment this year," he said.

dates. For creeping red fescue the average yield from the four seedings in June was 577 lbs. per acre compared with an average of 165 lbs. per acre from the seed sown in July. Similarly, brome showed 436 lbs. for the June sown average and 228 lbs. for July.

From the June 24 to the July 8 seedings, yields dropped surprisingly. Creeping red fescue in the following year yielded 644 lbs. per acre from the first sowing and 143 lbs. from the second. Corresponding figures for brome were 481 lbs. and 189 lbs. Rains immediately following the July 16 seedings resulted in yield increases compared with the July 8 seedings, but in no case did they nearly approach the June sown average.

June sowing of creeping red fescue and brome would seem then to be the preferred practice in the Peace River region. Important as it is, however, it is one phase only of efficient grass seed production, says Mr. Elliott. Moisture supply at seeding, adequate seed bed preparation, and careful seedling procedure are all required for success of the enterprise.

Funny and Otherwise

Hi: "Did you have fun at the party?"

Fi: "Yes, we played musical chairs the hard way."

Hi: "How's that?"

Fi: "Without chairs."

The noon whistle had blown when Murphy shouted, "Has anyone seen me vest?"

Pat: "Shure, Murphy, and ye've got it on."

Murphy: "That I have (gazing at the garment), and it's a good thing ye seen, or shure and I'd have gone home without it."

People are funny. They spend more money they don't have to buy things they don't need, to impress folks they don't like.

Two men, neither very bright, were helping to build a house. One kept picking up nails, looking at them, keeping some, and throwing others away.

"Why are you throwing away so many nails," asked his companion.

"Because they have the head on the wrong end."

"You fool, those are for the other side of the house."

Two vacationists, meeting at the first tee of a hotel golf course, formed a two-some. Or the ninth hole one of them said, "That's my wife over there playing with an old hag she dredged up somewhere."

The second man replied casually, "You know, I was about to say the same thing."

A young soldier lost his rifle. Brought before the colonel, he was told he'd have to pay for it.

"Suppose I lost a tank, sir?" asked the soldier. "Surely I wouldn't have to pay for that."

"Yes," replied the colonel. "Even if it took the rest of your army career to do it."

"Gosh," said the soldier. "Now I know why a captain goes down with his ship."

A man, asking for work in a Philadelphia railroad yard, said that he was willing to do anything.

"Okay," said the foreman. "Take this oil can and oil all the switch points and crossings up the line."

Two months later, the foreman received this telegram: "Dear Sir: Arrived at Chicago. Please forward more oil."

Two cowboys were talking. One said, "My name's Tex."

Second one says, "You from Texas?"

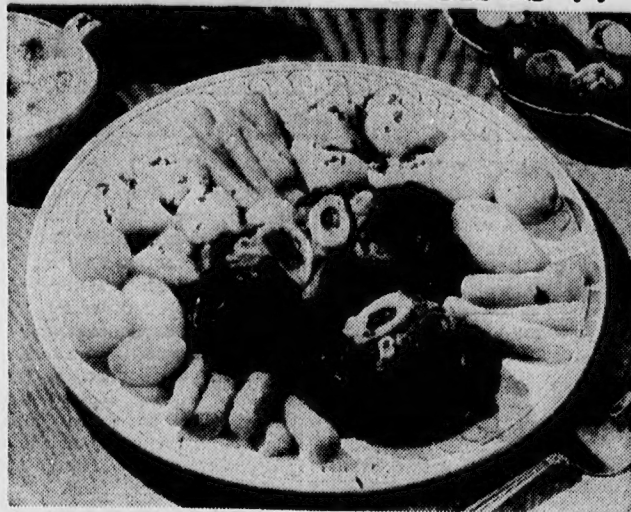
First one answers, "Nope, I'm from Louisiana, but who wants to be called Louise?"

Prospective Employer: You say, sir, you were at your last place for 23 years? Why did you leave?

Prospective Employee: I was paroled.

The Grand Canyon of the Colorado river is 217 miles long, four to 18 miles across and about one mile deep.

APPETIZING RECIPES



BEEF SHANKS WITH VEGETABLES

1 to 2 pounds cross-cut beef shanks

Water to cover

4 teaspoons salt

1 bay leaf, 4 whole cloves

1 stalk celery, cut up

4 medium potatoes, quartered

4 medium onions, halved

3 large carrots, quartered

Place shanks in large utensil and cover with water. Add salt, bay leaf, cloves and celery and simmer slowly for 2 hours.

Add vegetables and continue cooking for about 20 minutes or until vegetables are tender.

Serve meat with horseradish sauce. 4 servings. (Cool cooking liquid, refrigerate in a covered jar and use as the basis for gravies, soups or for cooking vegetables.)

A pot roast is always a flavorful dish. Try cutting beef chuck into individual servings and cook to tenderness. Serve with noodles and a gravy of thickened tomato juice seasoned with celery salt and Worcestershire sauce.

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Poultry Jubilee meet, Saskatoon opens June 23

REGINA.—W. H. Horner, Saskatchewan deputy minister of Agriculture, will officially open a Poultry Jubilee Conference in Saskatoon, June 23.

The conference will be sponsored by the Saskatchewan Poultry association and will be highlighted by the attendance of distinguished visitors who were associated with early poultry industry in the province. It will last for two days.

Among those to be present will be Prof. E. A. Lloyd, the first poultry graduate of the University of Saskatchewan, who is now in

California; A. D. Davey, chief of the federal marketing and production services; Dr. Hedley Auld, former provincial deputy minister of Agriculture, and Dr. George Jaap, a distinguished graduate of the University of Saskatchewan now at Ohio State University.

A program for turkey producers is being arranged by P.M. Blakely secretary of the Saskatchewan Turkey association.

Further particulars may be obtained by writing E. M. Campbell, secretary of the Saskatchewan Poultry association, department of Agriculture, Regina.

Along the west coast of Africa there is a kind of carp which climbs out of the water and up the trunks of mangrove trees.

GARDEN NOTES

Cultivating easier, quicker if long-handled tools used

Cultivation of the garden, even a large one, need not and should not be a back breaking chore. It is amazing how much easier and quicker the job is done with tools that have long handles. Of course, for getting in close to tiny flowers or vegetables, for weeding and a few other delicate jobs, it may be necessary to get down on knees or knee pads but with a little care a great deal of the ordinary cultivating and planting jobs can be handled with a minimum of stooping.

Keep planting

Too much emphasis cannot be laid on spinning out the planting. It is much better to plant a little every week for a month or so than to try and get everything in at once. There is no good reason why most vegetable and a lot of flowers cannot be planted for many weeks yet and this gradual planting will produce far more satisfactory results than sowing or setting out all at once.

The vegetable garden particularly, should be planted gradually with only a portion of the carrots, beets, beans, corn, etc., sown at one time.

In the flower line, experienced gardeners will sow such things as zinnias, petunias, asters, cosmos and other annuals in little plots here and there in the flower garden. When these come up they will leave only a few plants in the original position and transplant the

surplus to other parts of the garden.

Handled carefully, these transplants will come along almost as quickly as those left untouched and thus a large flower garden can be planted at trivial cost.

Not too deep

Almost every one is inclined to plant far too deeply. With tiny seed such as that of lettuce, carrots, cosmos, zinnias, poppies, and alyssum, which are not much larger than the head of a pin or shingle nail, it is not necessary to cover at all. We sow these in the finest soil and merely press in. Then, if possible, we keep the soil dampened until germination starts.

With larger seeds such as nasturtiums, peas, beans and corn, one should cover lightly, say a quarter to half inch. With bulbs or corms of gladiolus, dahlias, or potatoes, one plants four to eight inches deep.

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3 tablespoons granulated sugar

2 teaspoons salt

3 tablespoons shortening

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½ cup lukewarm water

1 teaspoon granulated sugar

and stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with contents of

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Stir in 2½ cups once sifted bread flour

and beat until smooth and elastic; stir in 1½ cups lightly-packed shredded old cheese

Work in 2½ cups more (about) once-sifted bread flour

Turn out on lightly-floured board and knead dough lightly until smooth and elastic. Place in a greased bowl and grease top of dough. Cover and set dough in warm place, free from draught, and let rise until doubled in bulk. Turn out dough on lightly-floured board and knead lightly until smooth. Divide into portions and finish as follows



1. CHEESE LOAF

Shape half a batch of dough into a loaf and fit into a greased bread pan about 4½ by 8½ inches. Grease top. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°, about 40 minutes—cover loaf with brown paper during latter part of baking to avoid crust becoming too brown.

2. MARMALADE BRAID

Roll out a quarter of a batch of dough into an 8-inch square on a lightly-floured board; loosen dough. Spread with ¼ cup marmalade and sprinkle with ¼ cup chopped nuts. Roll up jelly-roll fashion; seal edge and ends. Roll out into an oblong 9 inches long and 3 inches

wide; loosen dough. Cut oblong into 3 lengthwise strips to within an inch of one end. Braid strips, seal the ends and tuck them under braid. Place on greased cookie sheet. Grease top. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°, about 20 minutes.

3. CHEESE BREAD STICKS

Cut a quarter of a batch of dough into 12 equal-sized pieces and roll, one at a time, into slim strips about 7 inches long. Brush strips with water and roll lightly in cornmeal. Place, well apart, on greased cookie sheet. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°, about 16 minutes.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

Off trail moment

—By LILA LENNON

LYNN turned to Randy Hughes and sighed. "These Arizona sunsets are beautiful, aren't they?"

Randy nodded. "I hope to see a lot of them . . . and of you," he added.

Lynn laughed. "That will be simple enough . . . while you're on the ranch we'll bump into each other often, breakfast, luncheon and dinner."

"How long are you staying?" Randy asked.

"I'm an old dude hand," she replied. "I've been here two weeks, and another two weeks to go."

Randy grinned. "Just getting here this afternoon makes me a brand new dude, doesn't it?"

Lynn turned and looked at him out of the corner of her eye. She liked what she saw . . . very much. Suddenly, the vision of her and Randy riding the horses over the cactus-studded trails . . . the wonderful sunsets . . . it could be perfect!

"Do you ride?" she asked.

Randy frowned. "I . . . used to," he said slowly, "but . . ."

"Think nothing of it!" Lynn interrupted. "You'll soon get used to it. When I first came, I hadn't been on a horse for six years, but it's swell, now." She added earnestly, "You never really forget how to ride, you know. And, the trails around here are wonderful!"

Randy looked out over the sandy rolling hills. "I'm sure they are."

"You didn't ride up here, did you?" Lynn asked.

"No," Randy replied. "I came up with the others, in the station wagon . . ."

"The view from the top of the mountain road is something you'll never forget," Lynn said dreamily. "If I saw it with you, I'm sure of that," Randy replied.

Lynn felt little tingles touch

her spine. She turned to him eagerly. "Why don't you ride back with me? You can take Snort, she's gentle, and we'll go slowly."

"I don't think I'd better do that," Randy said slowly.

"It will be all right," Lynn assured him. "Whenever we have these outdoor suppers we take turns with the horses . . . station wagon one way, and ride back. But, I'm riding both ways tonight, and I can take Redboy back."

Randy turned to her. "Some other time, Lynn . . . later."

Lynn stared at him. She felt the color rush to her face. "I'm sorry," she said stiffly. "My enthusiasm bubbles over, sometimes."

Randy's voice was low. "Look . . . Lynn . . ." The clang of the bell drowned out his words. Lynn stood up and brushed the sand from her breeches.

"Chow," she said briefly, and walked swiftly away.

"Dope," she said to herself. "It sure takes a house to fall on you. Get it? He just didn't want to ride with you. Well, Mr. Hughes will wait a good long time before I ask him to ride with me again!"

Lynn kept the length of the long wooden table between herself and Randy. She chatted busily with everyone else, but managed to move out of reach every time Randy came anywhere near her.

When it was time to go, Lynn went down to the horses. Out of the corner of her eye, she glanced at Randy. Maybe . . . maybe he'd change his mind. But Randy was keeping a safe distance away.

She mounted Redboy and rode into the road. Joe, the cowboy, came up and patted Redboy's neck. "Careful, Lynn, don't let him out, he's got a tough mouth, and if he gets going, you won't be able to hold him in . . ."

Lynn saw Randy watching her. "I can handle him," she said clearly. She raised her voice. "Who's riding Snort?"

"Nobody yet," Joe answered.

Lynn guided Redboy alongside the station wagon. She turned in the saddle and waved. "See you at the ranch," she called.

The setting sun struck the chrome headlight on the station wagon, and sent a blinding beam glancing off. Redboy jerked, and Lynn tugged at the reins. She knew instantly that it was no use. Redboy kicked the dust and started off at a dead run.

Lynn heard a brief shout behind her, and thought she heard the hard thudding of hoof beats, but despairingly she knew it wouldn't matter. Redboy was the fastest horse on the ranch . . . no one could catch him. She crouched low in the saddle and hung onto the reins. Her hands burned and the tearing wind clawed at her hair . . . there wasn't time to think of anything, then, except staying in the saddle . . . somehow.

Redboy took the curve at the base of the mountain road with flying ease and pounded uphill to the top. Suddenly, he stopped.

Lynn let her breath go in a sobbing sigh, and turned wearily in the saddle. Snort came tearing around the curve and raced uphill with Randy . . . Randy was riding him!

"Are you all right?" he yelled. "Yes," Lynn called shakily.

Randy reined up and dismounted. "You little fool!" he said sharply. "Why did you let him out?"

Ignidation swept over Lynn. "I let him out!" she stormed. "I had nothing to do with it!"

Randy walked over, took the reins and held out his hand. "Here, get off."

Lynn climbed down stiffly. It couldn't be any worse. Randy didn't believe her . . . he probably thought she was . . . oh, well, what did it matter what he thought? She turned to him and stared in amazement.

"What's wrong with your face?" she exclaimed.

Randy grinned briefly. It was a lopsided effect with his eyes swollen almost shut.

"Gruesome, isn't it?" he asked. "But I'm allergic to horses . . . you wouldn't give me a chance to explain."

Lynn sat down weakly. She couldn't think of anything to say. "You know, a man doesn't usually feel he makes a good first impression with his eyes and face swollen," he mused aloud.

"I'm sorry," Lynn murmured. "I thought . . ."

Randy took her hand. "No. You were on the wrong trail, there, Lynn. But there are other trails, aren't there?"

"Yes," she said softly. "Of course."

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Rice is the most used food grain in the world.

Victoria Day safe driving being urged

The issuing of a proclamation urging all motorists to give particular care to safe driving over the Victoria Day weekend of May 21, 22 and 23 is announced.

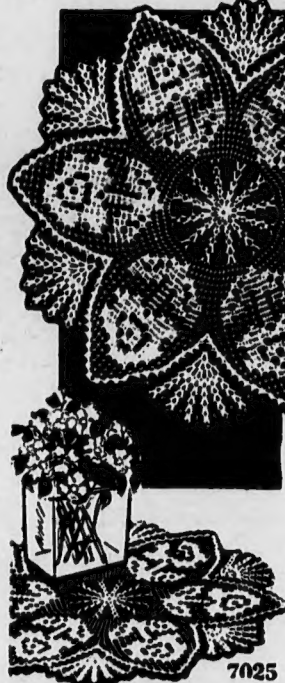
The amount of traffic on highways is increasing steadily from year to year and will be greater than usual during the forthcoming Victoria Day weekend, which is traditionally the first major holiday in which thousands of families take to the highways to visit their summer cottages and other resort areas.

Such heavy traffic often results in accidents which cause property damage, personal injury, loss of life and a waste of resources. Seventy-four persons met death as a result of traffic accidents in Saskatchewan during 1954.

A large number of traffic accidents occur because of error and lack of judgment, skill or attention, and could be minimized or eliminated by courteous and good driving attitudes, using safe vehicles and exercising caution.

Traffic accidents represent a major problem and it is deemed advisable to interest individuals and agencies in observing and promoting safety on our roads and streets at all times.

Along with continuing to drive safely, drivers could best celebrate Victoria Day by seeing to it that over this holiday weekend, they are not responsible for any deaths or injuries due to motor vehicle accidents.

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FROM A TO Z

The Canadian post office guide runs from Abbey, Sask., to Zwicky in the Kootenay region of British Columbia.

THE TILLERS



BATS HIGH WITH P.O.—Baseball's legendary Cy Young is still in there pitching—and the U.S. Post Office is catching for him. Congress has voted to keep open the tiny branch office in his home town of Peoli, Ohio (pop. 30), just to handle the volume of mail Cy still receives.

The week in Britain

New typewriter

An unusual typewriter produced by a Leicester firm is being used at the U.K. atomic energy research centre at Harwell for typing mathematical formulae. It has two keyboards and 180 characters. Similar models are being widely used in work on aeronautical, electrical, and radar research, and for special tasks in industry.

From Commonwealth

Most of the unmanufactured tobacco imported by the U.K. in January and February came from Commonwealth countries. They sent 20.6 million pounds which was about two-thirds of the total (32.9 million pounds).

The 1955 Commonwealth figure is made up of 13.2 million pounds from Canada (12.6 million pounds more than in 1954), 5.9 million pounds from Rhodesia-Nyasaland (3.8 million pounds more) and 1.6 million pounds from India (a slight decline).

Will visit Canada

Mr. Pat Hillyard, head of the B.B.C. Radio Variety will sail from Liverpool, England, on April 29 for a tour of Canada and the United States. Mr. Hillyard's tour will start in Ottawa on May 9.

To direct expedition

A former astronomer at the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory at Victoria, B.C., is to direct a British expedition to observe the eclipse of the sun in Ceylon on June 20. He is Professor Oliver Redman, MA, Ph.D., F.R.S., now professor of astrophysics and director of observatories at Cambridge University.

Cordless exchange

Britain's first cordless telephone switchboard has now been brought into use at the Thanet Exchange at Margate. Operators press buttons and keys instead of "plugging in." During busy periods, the calls are automatically "queued" and the Post Office hope that will prevent callers having to wait a long time for a reply.

It all adds up to terrific birthday party for Jubilee

REGINA.—Members of the community activities committee for Saskatchewan's Golden Jubilee met here recently to hear reports regarding Jubilee activities in all parts of the province. They heard details of how cities, towns, villages and rural districts are preparing local celebrations in honor of Saskatchewan's fiftieth birthday.

After the meeting all members agreed that very few places in the province will be without some form of Jubilee observance this summer. Over 200 local Jubilee committees already are organized with active chairmen and secretaries, and many more are organizing this month. It is almost certain that there will be at least 300 local celebrations, with parades, bands, sports, picnics and ceremonies in honor of district pioneers.

Terrific birthday party

"It is going to be a terrific birthday party," stated R. L. Stutz, chairman of the community activities committee, after the meeting.

In a survey of the whole Jubilee program Fred McGuinness, executive director of the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee committee, said the visit to Saskatoon, Regina and Moose Jaw from May 13 to May 16 will focus the attention of all Canada on Saskatchewan's celebrations. The four daily newspapers and 99 weeklies are issuing special Jubilee editions at that time for distribution all over the country. The book on Saskatchewan written by Jim Wright will be on newsstands this month. A film on Saskatchewan will have its premiere about the middle of June. A condensed version will appear on the Canada Carries On series in theatres all across Canada.

A progress report by E. W. McKenzie, director of community activities, regarding community Jubilee programs this summer, was emphasized by a map dotted with colored pins to indicate the places that have their celebration plans well in hand and are just waiting until seeding is over to begin festivities. The map is dotted with pins from top to bottom and from corner to corner. According to Mr. McKenzie it will be the largest province-wide public celebration ever attempted.

Work crews started out early

in May to complete the installation of 58 Jubilee markers for historic sites in the province. J. D. Herbert, Jubilee director for historic sites, announced. Eighteen of these will have full-size Red River carts and an inscription board, 35 will be in the form of large rustic markers and five will be bronze tablets. At least 20 public ceremonies are planned for these historic sites. In addition to the Jubilee markers there will be 15 or more historic spots perpetuated by some form of marker erected by private individuals or groups.

Pictorial map

A pictorial map showing the historic sites is being issued, said Mr. Herbert, together with a highway map showing the location in relation to main roads. A booklet on historic sites also is being prepared.

As many as 150,000 voices may join in Jubilee songs in schools all over the province on Thursday, May 26, said Neil Harris, Jubilee director for musical productions, in his report to the committee. This is part of the program to "have the whole province singing during Jubilee Year."

The Jubilee Choir is singing at all "A" and "B" fairs and is appearing before as many people as possible. The mighty musical, "Saskatchewan Ho," also is entertaining varied audiences in all parts of the province.

The pageant, "Saskatchewan—The Fiftieth Year," made up on historic narrative and Jubilee singing, is being presented in at least 80 communities, with more requests for the script and songs being received each week.

Special reports on Jubilee programs in their districts were given by Carl Goranson, Weyburn; Norman Roebuck, Yorkton; R. W. Harris, Gull Lake; Mrs. Anne Cusick, Coderre; Mrs. H. Entwistle, Parkman; Miss Emma Stewart and Mrs. Helene Duce, Saskatoon; Bert McKay, Moosomin.

Walnut Buttermilk Loaf

Mix and sift twice, then sift into a bowl, 2½ c. once-sifted pastry flour (or 2¼ c. once-sifted all-purpose flour), 2 tps. Magic Baking Powder, ½ tsp. baking soda, 1½ tps. salt, ¼ tsp. ground mace. Mix in ¾ c. lightly-packed brown sugar, ½ c. rolled oats and 1 c. broken walnuts. Combine 1 well-beaten egg, 1 c. buttermilk, 2 tps. grated orange rind, 1 tsp. vanilla and 5 tbs. shortening, melted. Make a well in dry ingredients and add liquids; mix lightly. Turn into a loaf pan (4½" x 8½") which has been greased and lined with greased paper. Bake in a rather slow oven, 325°, about 1 hour. Serve cold, thinly sliced and lightly buttered.



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—By Les Carroll

NOTICE

BY-LAW NO. 435

A By-law of the Town of Gleichen repealing By-law No. 326 and 416 and 392, and substituting therefore the following:

I. DEFINITIONS

(a) Motor Vehicles means any vehicle propelled by any power other than muscular power, except trucks over the manufacturers rating of three quarter ton.

(b) Vehicle: means any motor vehicle running on wheels other than motor vehicles and trucks, and includes horse drawn wagons, carriages, etc.

(c) Truck: means any motor vehicle intended for the conveyance of livestock, liquids, goods, merchandise, gravel, etc., other than motor vehicles having a manufacturers rating of three quarter ton or less.

(d) Parking: means any motor vehicle, truck or vehicle when standing stationary, whether the motor is running or not, or when attended by an operator.

2. All Motor Vehicles shall be parked in the town of Gleichen parallel to the curb of sidewalk, with the exception of that area known as Crowfoot Street from Third Avenue in an Easterly direction to Fifth Avenue, in which area all motor vehicles shall be parked in such a manner that they are at an angle of approximately 45 degrees to the sidewalk or curb, the extreme right front portion of vehicle being not more than two feet from the sidewalk or curb of the street, and furthermore no vehicles shall park at all in this latter area, on the South side of the street between Third and Fourth Avenues.

TRUCKS: are prohibited from parking in that area of the Town known as Crowfoot Street running from Third Avenue in an Easterly direction to Fifth Avenue.

3. PROHIBITIONS:

(1) No person operating a motor vehicle shall park same on the left hand side of the street, road or lane.

(2) No person operating a motor vehicle shall park same

except according to the provisions of Section two of this By-Law.

(3) No person operating a motor vehicle, truck or vehicle shall park same within fifteen (15) feet of any corner or an intersection, or fire hydrant.

(5) No person operating a motor vehicle, truck or vehicle shall park same as to obstruct the clear passage of the fire equipment from exit of the fire station, whether same is being used or not.

(6) No person operating a truck shall park same on Crowfoot Street between Third Avenue and Fifth Avenue except for the purpose of unloading.

(7) No person shall ride a bicycle on any of the sidewalks in the Town of Gleichen.

(8) No dealer shall park any motor vehicle, vehicle or truck in his care at his place of business, whether for sale, trade in, repair or any other purpose, whether new or used, on any street or lane in the Town of Gleichen for a longer period of time than twelve hours.

PROVIDO, however, that persons who have received a traffic ticket for minor infractions of this By-Law, present themselves at the Town Office and pay to the secretary treasurer the penalty prescribed on the ticket within forty-eight (48) hours of service, they may thereby avoid prosecution under this By-Law.

This By-Law shall come into force and have full effect from and after the passing thereof.

Read a first and second time this fourth day of April and read a third time and finally passed in open Council assembled this 2nd day of May, 1955.

H. COLPOYS,
Mayor.
A. HORN,
Secretary-treasurer.

Iceland has no railway.
Lacrosse is the national game of Canada.

Canada has 115,000 on active service but here is the harsh note for the taxpayer: It takes 30,000 civil servants to administer these troops.

Town & District

There was a good attendance at the Home and School Association meeting held Monday night in the school auditorium. Some beautiful pictures were shown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson entertained at a turkey dinner on Mother's Day Mr. and Mrs. J. Holland and family and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Riddell.

St. Andrew's church has begun to suffer from the ravages of time so last week men set to work to straighten up the building and brace it up. Also a new shingle roof is being put on it. The church is about 70 years old.

Laurier Brown blew into town a week or so ago. He had spent the past five or six months in Ontario most of the time in city of Toronto. He does not like Ontario and cannot understand why anybody would live there. He says that from now on he will stay in Alberta.

Friday about four o'clock in the afternoon smoke completely enveloped the town at times one hardly see across the street. The smoke seeped into the houses. Upon investigating it was only town engineer Jack Lester and a squad of men burning up the wonderful crop of dead grass that surrounded the town. The whole place of much better for Itoks cmfshr looks much better for the treatment and also lessens the danger of grass fires getting out of control.

A frustrated motorists had been trying for a matter of ten miles or more to get by a huge truck. But always the driver had speeded up or edged toward the centre.

Finally at a stop light the driver came abreast of the truck and gazed interestedly, at the trucker. The trucker was obviously ill at ease and getting more so under the steady gaze. Finally he burst out belligerently: "You want to make something of something?" "Not at all," said the other driver. "Just curious. You see, I know what you are. I just wanted to see what one looks like."

The regular meeting of the United Church W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. A. Murray at 8 o'clock last Thursday evening with 21 members and two visitors present. President Mrs. Fugh opened the meeting with a prayer, repeating the creed and singing the theme song. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. Sharp. Theme "Responsible Parenthood." Minutes were read and adopted and treasurer's report was approved. The different committees gave their reports and bills were voted to be paid. Mrs. E. Bolinger gave a summary of the second part of the study book, "Face to Face With India." Mrs. Fugh reminded the ladies that on May 15 Sunday School would start at 10:45 a.m. and church service at 12:10 noon. The organization decided to entertain guests at the June missionary meeting. This meeting will begin at 8 o'clock in the evening of Thursday, June 2nd.

How do you know when a plant needs water? Squeeze a bit of earth between the fingers, dry soil crumbles. Or tap the side of the pot, if it gives off a hollow sound the soil is dry. Horticulturists claim more house plants are stunted and die by lack of proper watering than by any other cause. If you let the soil get bone-dry before you remember to give the plant a drink, quite likely you've checked its

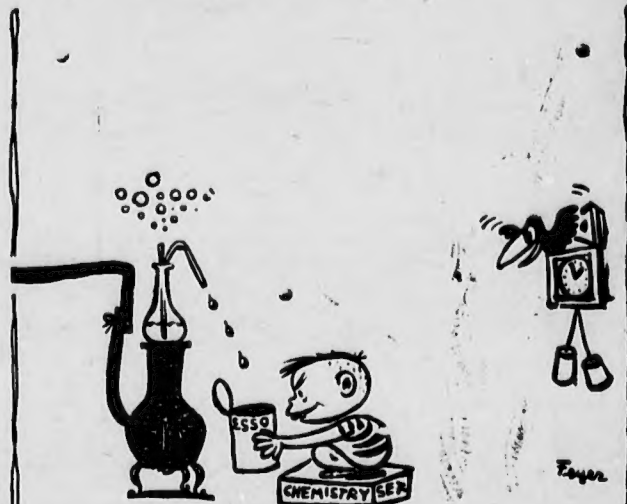
growth! or more seriously injured it. On the other hand, most plants don't like "wet feet" and their roots will rot if the soil is always saturated.

CLASSIFIED ADS

33 POLLED Hereford Bulls selling at Olds Auction Market, Monday, May 30th. The bulls have all been under a record-of-performance gain-per-day test at Fogelvik Farms, Innisfail. The best bull showed an average gain per day of 2.9 pounds. Two others gained 2.7 pounds a day. Welcome

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MALE HELP WANTED—Care-taker (Part-time) \$1,320 per annum for Department of National Defence at Gleichen. Details obtainable from the Civil Defence Service Commission, National Employment Service and Post Office. Application forms should be filed with the Civil Service Commission, 414 Public Building, Calgary, NOT LATER THAN MAY 18th, 1955.



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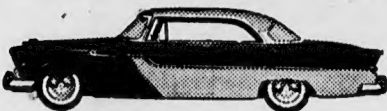


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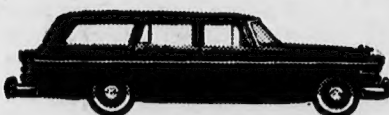


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